

TOWN COUNCIL.

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"the proposals more extensively advertised, the result would have been more bids and better prices."

"You have bids from all the contractors in the district," said Town Clerk Johnson. He then said that all the stone road contractors were in a combination, and that they had an agreement whereby one particular firm was to bid at a lower price than his competitors in order to get the job in his district.

Councilman Green said that the prices asked were higher than that what the county had to pay for broken stone, and also higher than what the city of Orange paid. This difference is said to be due to the fact that the price given to the county \$1.65 per ton was for net tons, while that given the town is for gross tons.

Chairman Fisher said it was optional with the Council to receive or reject the bids. Mr. Murray expressed a desire to try the effects of a more extensive advertising, and on motion of Councilman Harrison the bids were rejected and the clerk was instructed to readvertise for bids and to include the Newark papers in placing the advertisement.

Councilman Green stated to the Council that he had rode in four different cars on the Bloomfield avenue trolley line Monday, and not one of them displayed a Bloomfield license. He said that he had been reading the ordinance and found that it required that such licenses should be displayed, and he did not believe that the town was getting all the revenue that it should from the company, in return for a very valuable franchise given to it. Mr. Green said he found that the company paid last year \$300 in car licenses, and which represented thirty cars. He had been told that it was impossible to operate the Bloomfield avenue line with only thirty cars.

The discussion following Mr. Green's statement turned on to how the Council could find out how many cars were in use on the avenue, and the matter was referred to the Franchise Committee for investigation and report.

Among the claims presented to the Council for payment was an old one due the county from the town for roads macadamized under the State and Road Act. This claim is several years old, and why it was not paid by a former Council some years ago has often been a matter of comment. The claim is for upwards of \$4,000, and is the outcome of a very fair agreement made between Director Thomas McGowan of the Board of Freeholders and the Town Council, and under which the town secured the benefit of several miles of macadamized roads. Legally the property benefited can be assessed for the improvement to the amount of ten per cent. of the cost of the work, but the understanding at the time was that owing to the fact that the Brookdale people would have to bear their share of the street improvement bond issue, and as but little of the proceeds would be spent there, it was but fair to them that the town should assume and pay the ten per cent. of the cost of the road work done by State aid in Brookdale. For some time this unexplained reason the town did not carry out the obligation.

The present Council is the first one of several administrations since the work was done upon which a formal demand for payment has been made. The Council will no doubt recognize the justice of the claim and may endeavor to make a partial payment of it this year.

Installation Arranged.

Although the East Orange City Council Monday night, by a viva voce vote decided to incorporate a provision limiting the Central avenue trolley franchise to twenty years, there is some doubt expressed by members of the board as to the final adoption of this provision. The Council met in committee of the whole to discuss the applications and it developed that there was an apparent minority of four who are opposed to a perpetual franchise, and who believe that the company should pay more than \$1,000 a year for the franchise.

Twenty Year Limit Proposed.

At a special conference and business meeting of the Prospect street Baptist Church of East Orange, Monday, it was decided to hold the formal service for the installation of the pastor, the Rev. A. Sterling Barner, Tuesday evening, May 31. It was announced that the Rev. Dr. Kerr Boyce Tupper, of Philadelphia, could be secured to deliver the installation sermon. This was received with much pleasure, as it had been feared that the eminent orator would not be able to participate in the service.

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Memorial Day.

Commander George S. Sammis of Wm. S. Pierson Post, G. A. R., has issued the following orders for Memorial Day observance on the part of the members of the post:

Friday, 27th—The post has accepted an invitation from Professor Chancellor to be present at patriotic exercises in connection with the public schools, to be held in the Prospect Street School building. Comrades will assemble at Bloomfield Centre at 2 o'clock, ready to move at 2.15.

Sunday, 29th—The post having accepted an invitation from Rev. George A. Paul, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Freemont street, to attend service, will assemble (in uniform as far as possible) at Bloomfield Centre, office of Nathan Russell, ready to move at 7.30 P. M.

Monday, 30th—At 8.45 A. M. comrades will assemble at the soldiers' plot, Bloomfield Cemetery, to decorate the graves of our comrades with flowers, arranged by the Woman's Relief Corps. At 8 P. M., citizens, comrades and their friends are invited to the Jarvis Memorial Hall on Freemont street, at which place exercises in keeping with the day will be held. Oration by Kerr Boyce Tupper, D. D., LL. D., of Philadelphia. Subject: "Optimistic Survey of our National Life." Vocal music by the pupils from the Bloomfield public schools, under the leadership of Professor Smith.

All comrades and all honorably discharged officers, soldiers and sailors who participated in the civil war of 1861-65, or the Spanish-American war are cordially invited and urged to participate in all of the above exercises. It is desirable to have a large attendance at all the exercises. Be sure to come yourself and urge other comrades to do so.

The committee in charge of the Memorial Day exercises consists of Commander Sammis, Adjutant George M. Cadmus, Uriah Seeley and Nathan Russell.

Fun at a Church Social.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church had a novel and amusing social last Tuesday evening. The entertainment, consisting of several musical (?) selections on harmonica, human tones and gobos, together with a Kinder symphony Orchestra, was given by the male members of the society. All the girls and their friends were charged an admission fee of five cents.

The special features of the evening were the educated "freaks," or human wonders. A boastful giant, ten feet tall, and all of eight years old, was somewhat chagrined at the sudden visible growth of a pigmy to the enormous height of twelve feet. An oration on the Chinese question by a dwarf was most interesting and ludicrous. A six-foot man, a volunteer from the audience, was cut down to three feet and exhibited, carried on a shutter.

An original story, in which were blippen fifty names of the society, was read by the president. These names were to be written down as guessed, the person having the most correct number to be chairman of a committee of girls to give a return entertainment. Miss Mann guessing fifty out of fifty-one, was duly elected.

Refreshments and music wound up the evening.

Lackawanna's Special Rates.

St. Louis and return account World's Fair. Season tickets, (return limit December 15), \$34; sixty-day tickets, \$28.35; fifteen-day tickets, \$23.25. Season and sixty-day tickets good via Chicago one way. All tickets allow stop over at Niagara Falls. Through Pullman service. Superior dining-car service, prices \$1. Niagara Falls and return May 28 and 29, (return limit May 30th) \$9.

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County Park Inspection.

The annual inspection of the Essex County parks will take place on Tuesday, May 31, under the auspices of the members of the Essex County Park Commissioners, who have invited a number of County and State officials to accompany them on the tour of inspection. Among those who have been asked to accompany the board are Senator Dryden, Chief Justice Gummere, Attorney-General Robert H. McCarter, Mayor Doremus, Mayor Henry Stetson of Orange, Mayor E. E. Bruen of East Orange, President of Board of Works C. V. Baumann, Director Thomas McGowan and Supervisor David H. Johnson of the Board of Freeholders, Monsignor George H. Doane and members of the Township Committees.

The start will be made at Branch Brook Park at 8 o'clock in the morning and the commission and its guests will visit as many parks and reservations as possible during the day. Lunch will be had at the County Club. The inspection will be made in carriages and will be attended by no formal exercises.

It had been hoped that it would be possible to arrange the time of the inspection so as to include Governor Murphy, who was a member of the commission, in the party, but the Governor's absence in Europe and the uncertainty as to the time at his disposal on his return made the delay inevitable. Among the places to be visited will be Weequahic Lake, where the members of the party will examine the unique machinery used for cleaning the lake of bush and bog.

Dedication of Money.

"How is it that on his arrival in London, apparently a poor, if not a penniless man, he could in a few years reconstruct his fortunes, build a palace in Surrey, acquire a mansion in Park Lane, fare delicately, live soft, and warm both hands before the fire of life as the associate of smart society, and the subdivider of statesmen, as the patron of privy councillors, exercising despotism over dukes, earls and marquises, and dispensing favors to financiers of standing and to leaders of public opinion in the press and society? How is it no voice was raised by those who knew his character, to warn the public and society against him?" So asks Mr. Arnold White in his article on the Whitaker Wright Case, in the June Pearson's.

"The answer is—because the worship of money to-day in England has become the avowed religion of a large section of its upper classes. The origin of money is immaterial; its possession everything. The man who can impart an effervescent value to worthless stock is worshipped and pursued by the votaries of pleasure, as magicians, philosophers, and saints were followed in former times. Whitaker Wright pursued his course unchecked. He ruined thousands, degraded the most honored names in the land, and was aided and abetted in his scheme by men gullible than himself, by a corrupted press, and by those who knew the unsoundness of his methods, but profited by their knowledge."

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Base-Ball.

The Watessing Base-ball Club will play its first game on the Arlington avenue grounds this season this afternoon. The O. N. T. Club of Newark will be the opposing team.

The Watessings played an unfortunate game on the Orange Oval Saturday. The score was as follows:

WATESSING.	R.	H.	E.	O.	A.	E.
Ferguson, C. S.	0	1	3	0	2	0
Hambacher, P.	0	1	3	0	2	0
A. Bailey, 1b.	0	0	13	3	1	1
Dunlap, F. J.	1	1	4	1	1	1
Ellor, 2b.	1	6	0	0	1	1
Burdett, C.	1	1	3	4	0	0
Oiler, C. E.	0	1	1	0	0	0
C. Bailey, 1b.	0	1	1	0	0	0
O'Neil, 2b.	1	3	1	0	1	1
Totals.	7	16	37	11	9	3

ORANGE A. C.	R.	H.	E.	O.	A.	E.
Battam, A. S.	2	3	1	2	0	0
Hartman, 1b.	2	2	3	0	0	0
Frederick, 2b.	2	4	3	1	1	1
Murphy, J. F.	0	3	1	1	0	0
Hutchings, C. E.	0	3	1	0	0	0
Schouer, F. J.	3	2	1	0	0	0
McGrath, 2b.	3	3	0	0	0	0
Deegan, 1b.	3	3	1	0	0	0
Totals.	15	22	15	13	1	1

Orange A. C. 15 22 15 13 1 1
Watessing 7 16 37 11 9 3
Bases on balls—Off Hambacher 5, off Deegan 2. Home runs—Deegan, C. E. Bailey. Stolen bases—Orange 12, Watessing 8. Struck out—By Deegan 9, by Hambacher 5. Struck by pitched ball—By Deegan 1. Umpire—Hopkins. Time—1 1/2 am.

On the grounds of the Glen Ridge Outing Club Saturday morning the Bloomfield High School nine defeated the Passaic High School in a Northern New Jersey Interscholastic League game. The features of the game were the double play made by King, unassisted, and the base-running of the home team. The score:

Bloomfield H. S.	R.	H.	E.	O.	A.	E.
Passaic H. S.	2	1	0	5	2	1
Watessing, 1b.	0	1	0	0	0	0
Stolen bases—J. Adams 2, Weber 2, Jamison, King 3. Two base hits—King, Hammond. Sacrifice hits—J. Adams. Hit by pitcher—Stolen. Struck out—By Weber 5, by Leonard 4. Umpire—Mr. Ackerman.	2	1	0	5	2	1

The Watessing Y. M. C. A. team journeyed to Morristown Saturday to play the Pastime B. B. C. of that place. The trip was a delightful one, and the visitors enjoyed the Morris County scenery very much. The score by innings was as follows:

Pastime B. B. C.	R.	H.	E.	O.	A.	E.
Watessing Y. M. C. A.	0	4	1	5	0	0
Batteries—Brown and Dempsey, Adams and Cook.	0	4	1	5	0	0

The Liberty A. C. will play the Bloomfield Centre colored team this afternoon at 3.30 on the Williamson avenue grounds. Hardwick will do the twirling for the home team, and Fuller will do the catcalling. Harris and Lee will be in the points for the visitors. The teams will line up as follows:

Liberty A. C.	Bloomfield Centre
Fuller, pitcher	Lee, catcher
Hardwick, pitcher	Harris, pitcher
Batcliffe, first base	Smith, first base
Olin, second base	R. Queen, second base
S. short stop	C. Queen, short stop
Carroll, third base	D. Martin, third base
Rigger, left field	H. Mason, left field
Geckler, centre field	H. Morris, centre field
Lloyd, right field	Adams, right field

Last Saturday in the opening game of the season the Bloomfield Field Club met defeat at the hands of the Amer of the Amer Welles Company team of New York city by a score of 13-8. The game was hotly contested up to the end of the seventh innings the score at that time being 4-3, but through loose playing the visitors were allowed to pile up nine runs; but the home team rallied in the last inning, making five runs, with the result as above stated; the bases being filled when the last man was thrown out. This afternoon, the Bloomfielders, with a stronger line-up than last week, will meet the Forrester's team of this town on the Williamson avenue grounds. The game is expected to be closely contested. At these games a collection is taken up to go towards providing uniforms for the Field Club; also to pay guarantees to outside teams who come here and a liberal patronage is desired, as the club is a permanent organization and good games will be offered during the season.

The Paterson High School base-ball team won an interesting game from the Bloomfield High School nine in a Northern New Jersey Interscholastic League series on the outing grounds in Glen Ridge Wednesday afternoon by a score of 8 to 3. The winners excelled the losers both at the bat and in the field. The score by innings:

Bloomfield H. S.	R.	H.	E.	O.	A.	E.
Paterson H. S.	8	1	0	0	0	0
Batteries—R. H. S. Weber, Dillon and Ackerman; P. H. S. Brophy and La Rive.	8	1	0	0	0	0

Important Point Raised.

Because of the point raised by counsel for a saloon-keeper in Orange that the ordinance forbidding the sale of liquor on Sunday is ineffective, the control of license matters being entirely in the hands of the Board of Excise, it is announced that hereafter offending liquor dealers will be prosecuted under the State laws. It has been the practice in Orange, Newark and many other cities to entirely ignore the State laws regulating Sunday sales of liquor, and to simply sue for fines for violations of the prohibitory ordinances. This custom is undoubtedly responsible for the manner in which the Sunday closing laws are so boldly ignored. If the new rule is carried out in Orange, it may be found more effective than was intended by the counsel for the liquor dealer who secured a non-suit for his client.

Across State by Trolley.

After next Tuesday it will be possible to make the trolley trip to New York from Camden. The final link in the trolley chain is at last complete with the connection at West Palmyra between the Camden and the Trenton lines, and it will be opened to traffic on that day. A special car, carrying officials of the Public Service Corporation and of the Camden and Trenton Traction Company will make the initial trip from the Camden terminal in the afternoon and take luncheon in Trenton.

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